

DALLAS.

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moderator for Rev. William M. Anderson, D. D., who was critically ill at his home. A telegram of sympathy was then sent the family, expressing the great sorrow of the Presbytery.

Popular Meeting: A popular meeting in the interest of Christian Education and Ministerial Relief was held Wednesday evening, when interesting and strong addresses were made by several ruling elders. Mr. W. E. Ellison and Mr. N. L. Lowrance spoke on "Ministerial Relief," Mr. Thomas Shields on "Christian Education" and Mr. J. Houston Bennett spoke on "The Endowment." All the addresses were excellent. An offering of \$26.00 for "Endowment" was made.

Evangelist: Our evangelist and Sunday-school missionary, Rev. G. W. Sheffer, gave good account of his ministry during the few months he has been at work with us.

Tent: An unanimous vote of thanks was extended the good women of the Dallas Presbyterial for the evangelistic tent they gave the Presbytery to be used by the Home Mission Committee. This tent has been used in several meetings. It cost about \$400.00.

Map: Thanks was extended Rev. H. W. Burwell, D. D., for the initial step, followed by financial aid in having an excellent map of the Presbytery made. Every church is shown, location, membership, etc.

Overture: The Presbytery overtures the Executive Committee of Foreign Missions to request all ordained

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foreign missionaries, when home on furlough, to give diligence to the attending of the stated meetings of their respective Presbyteries.

Home Mission Week: This week, November 19th-26th, was heartily recommended to all our churches. Every church was urged to make the best possible use of this season.

Communion: After an appropriate sermon by Rev. H. S. Springall, the communion of the Lord's Supper was observed, being conducted by Rev. T. A. Wharton, D. D., and Rev. W. W. Sadler, assisted by four elders.

Presbytery: The Presbytery has thirty-five ministers, thirteen candidates, fifty-seven churches, two hundred and nineteen elders, two hundred and twenty deacons and fifty-eight hundred and fourteen members (resident and non-resident).

Next Meeting: Next stated meeting will be in Ennis, April 10, 1917, at 8 P. M.

Adjourned: After the minutes were read and approved, Presbytery adjourned with singing, prayer and apostolic benediction, to meet in Dallas, First church, Monday, September 25th, 3 P. M.

Wm. Fred Galbraith, S. C.

CHEROKEE.

The Presbytery of Cherokee met in the Midway church on Tuesday evening, September 12, 1916. The opening sermon was preached by Rev. W. L. Barber, at the request of the retiring moderator. Attendance, ten ministers and twelve ruling elders.

Organization: Rev. L. G. Hames was elected moderator, and Rev. C. R. Bailey, temporary clerk.

Received: Rev. K. A. Campbell was received from the Presbytery of King's Mountain.

Installation: Commissions reported the installation of Rev. R. H. Orr as pastor at Summerville, Bethel and Milner Memorial churches.

Conferences: The Presbytery devoted nearly the whole of its time to conferences, sermons and discussions on the causes of the Church. Wednesday morning was devoted to a conference on Foreign Missions, at which time addresses were made by Rev. R. O. Flinn, D. D., of Atlanta, and Dr. Fred Monjet, of the Methodist Church. Wednesday afternoon was devoted to Home Missions and Evangelism, and the evening service was a sermon on Home Missions by Rev. C. R. Bailey. Thursday morning the Presbytery listened to reports of the pastors assigned to hold evangelistic services in the mission fields of the Presbytery during the summer.

Spring Meeting: Cedartown, Ga., April 10, 1917.

The Presbytery was delightfully entertained by the people of the Midway church. Adjournment was taken to the call of the moderator at the meeting of Synod in November.

F. K. Lewis, Stated Clerk.

EAST ALABAMA.

The Presbytery of East Alabama met in called session at Montgomery in the office of the First Presbyterian church on September 18th. There were present six ministers and four elders. The pastoral relation between Rev. D. F. McConnell and Alexander City and Nixbury churches was dissolved, at the request of Mr. McConnell, these churches concurring. A call from the Prattville church for the pastoral services of Mr. McConnell was accepted by him, and the following commission was appointed to install him on Sunday night, October 1st: Rev. Messrs. R. H. McCaslin and L. R. Scott and Elder John W. Durr. The place of the fall meeting of Presbytery was changed from Providence church to Highland Park church,

signed by twenty-nine persons, for the organization of a church at Clanton, Alabama, was received, and the following commission was appointed to organize the church: Rev. C. H. Rogers, Rev. R. H. McCaslin, Rev. D. F. McConnell and Elders John W. Durr and Samuel Scott.

C. B. Currie,
Acting Stated Clerk.

MUHLENBURG.

The Presbytery of Muhlenburg met in stated session at McKenzie Kirk, in Christian County, Kentucky, on September 12th, at 7:30 P. M.

Rev. A. S. Anderson was chosen moderator, and Rev. T. A. Patton, temporary clerk.

The opening sermon was preached by Rev. C. B. Boving, D. D., by appointment of the retiring moderator, Ruling Elder W. T. Fowler.

Preaching services were held twice each day, and the Lord's Supper was observed in connection with the 11 A. M. service on the second day. Popular meetings were held, with addresses on Home and Foreign Missions.

The several permanent committees on the benevolence causes came well prepared with written reports, which were well discussed on the floor of Presbytery.

Sabbath observance and family religion occupied the larger portion of one afternoon in an edifying round table discussion.

The practice of tything was urged on all our members as the minimum of their offerings to the Lord's work.

The Committee on Evangelism reported arrangements made to hold evangelistic meetings in all our churches except two. The majority of these meetings are to be held simultaneously.

In response to an overture from the Assembly's Committee on Stewardship Presbytery directed that a conference of elders and deacons be held at some time between January 1 and February 15, 1917, at Central City, Kentucky.

Presbytery urged that all our churches confine their offerings for education to the institutions under control of the Synod of Kentucky, except such educational work as is included in offerings of the Assembly's Home Missions.

The place of meeting, McKenzie Kirk, is one of our old country churches, and is in one of the finest farming sections of the State. Even the business sessions of Presbytery were well attended by the people of the community. An elaborate spread of dinner on the ground was enjoyed each day at noon. It was the best meeting of Presbytery we have had in many a year. E. E. Smith, S. C.

COLUMBIA.

The Presbytery of Columbia met in the George White Memorial church at Wales, Tennessee, September 12th, at 8:00 P. M.

Officers: Rev. C. C. McNeil was elected moderator, and Rev. R. W. Hardy, temporary clerk.

State of Religion: The free con-

versation on the state of religion in the churches was in some respect hopeful, but as a whole the spiritual condition was not encouraging.

Dismissed: Rev. E. P. Pillans was dismissed to the Presbytery of Ebenezer.

Presbyterial Sermon: Dr. J. C. Molloy preached an unusually convincing sermon on the subject, "The Sabbath."

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